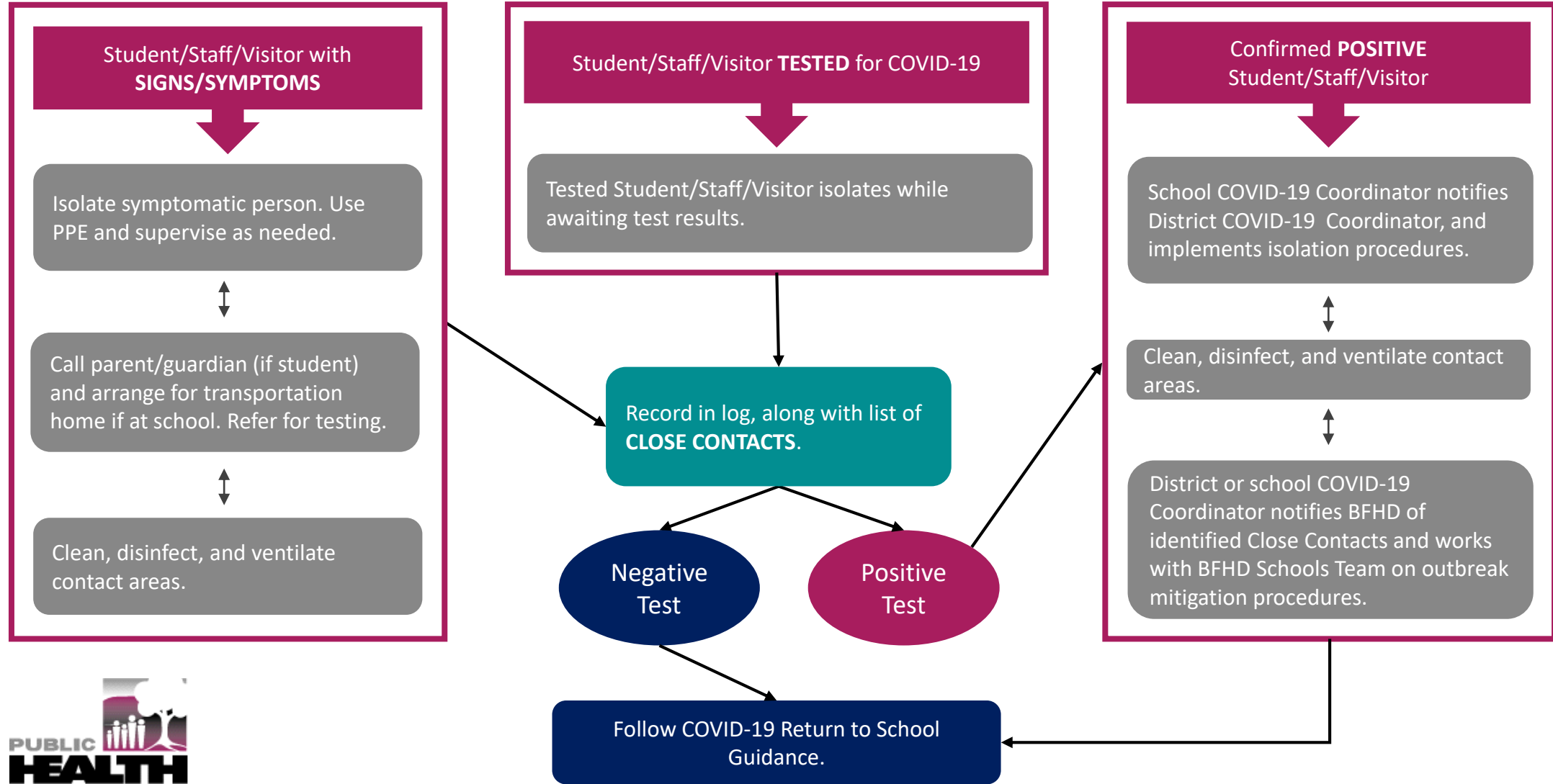


COVID-19 Reporting Guidance for Schools

For all situations, the Building COVID-19 Coordinator will notify School District COVID-19 Coordinator and communicate with BFHD Schools Team per District Policy.



COVID-19 Return to School Guidance

Situation	Can return to school
<input type="checkbox"/> Close Contact with Positive Case or Probable Case *Return to school guidance applies, regardless of negative test result	Symptomatic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 14 days after last contact with positive case and 10 days after symptoms started and At least 24 hrs fever free (without use of fever-reducing medication) and Other symptoms have improved No Symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 14 days after last contact with positive case (can be waived for essential employees who remain symptom-free and can adhere to safety precautions)
<input type="checkbox"/> Positive COVID-19 Test	Symptomatic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 days after symptoms started and At least 24 hrs fever free (without use of fever-reducing medication) and Other symptoms have improved No symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 days after test collection date
<input type="checkbox"/> Any <u>Class A Symptoms</u> or <input type="checkbox"/> 2 or more <u>Class B Symptoms</u> of any duration or <input type="checkbox"/> 1 or more <u>Class B Symptoms</u> lasting more than 24 hrs and No Known Exposure or Close Contact	With negative PCR COVID-19 Test Result and/or alternative diagnosis from HCP that explains all symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24 hrs fever free (without use of fever-reducing medication) and Other symptoms have improved or Per condition diagnosed by HCP (whichever is longer) Without COVID-19 Test or HCP diagnosis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 days after symptoms started and 24 hrs fever free (without use of fever-reducing medication) and Other symptoms have improved
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <u>Class B Symptom</u> that resolves within 24 hrs and No Known Exposure or Close Contact	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24 hrs fever free (without use of fever-reducing medication) and Other symptoms have improved

Symptoms Consistent with COVID-19 (not related to a pre-existing condition)
Class A Symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fever (100.4 or over) Cough Loss of taste or smell Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing Class B Symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fatigue Headache Muscle or body aches Sore throat Congestion or runny nose Nausea or vomiting Diarrhea (2 or more loose stools in 24 hrs)
Close Contact: Individuals within 6 ft for a cumulative total of 15 or more minutes over a 24 hr period to a confirmed case during the infectious period Probable Case: Symptoms and Close Contact with Positive Case Infectious Period: Begins 48 hrs prior to symptom onset Alternative Diagnosis: Lab-confirmed diagnosis such as strep throat or viral pathogen. Can also include childhood rash illness, acute otitis media, etc. (COVID-19 test still strongly recommended in addition)

*Secondary Close Contacts do not need to quarantine unless the Primary Close Contact tests positive or develops symptoms

References: [WA DOH](#), [CDC](#) Updated 10/15/20